

*In The Claims*

*Amendments to the Claims:*

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-51. (Canceled)

52. (Currently Amended) A method for diagnosing prostatic carcinomas in a patient, comprising contacting prostate tissue from said patient with an antibody which is directed against proteins synthesized and/or secreted by carcinomas, wherein the proteins are selected from the group consisting of sialic acid synthase (SEQ ID NO:1) and KNP-I beta (SEQ ID NO:2), and wherein a higher level of said proteins in said prostate tissue, as compared to the level of said proteins in normal prostate tissue, indicates said patient has a prostatic carcinoma.

53-54. (Canceled)